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TENKUU NO ESCAFLOWNE
VOLUME 1

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ORIGINAL
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SHOJI
KAMAMORI
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THAT'S
A PRETTY
JEWEL

HOE

REALLY?

READING
THIS PENDANT
SEEMS TO
HELP ME IN
FORTUNE
TELLING

SO, YOUR
COMPATIBILITY
WITH YOUR
BOYFRIEND,
RIGHT?

I
INHERITED
THIS JEWEL
AND MY
CARDS
FROM MY
GRANDMA

FIVE OF
WANDS...

THE
TOWER
...

WHAT
?



HITOMI !?

DESTRUCTION
OF THE
TOWER

WHAT
IS THIS
ITS
RED

HITOMI

天空の エスカフローネ 1

Tenkuu no Escafloorne

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THE
ENEMY'S
ATTACK.

HAS
ALREADY
REACHED
THE INNER
CITY

THE
SOUTHERN
FORTRESS
HAS
FALLEN



EVEN
THE WOMAN
AND
CHILDREN!

THEY
CAPTURED
THE FLEEING
PEOPLE OF
THE CITY,
AND KILLED
THEM.



THEY
AREN'T
HUMAN!!



EVERY-
ONE
...

IT
CAN'T
BE
...



I'M
GLAD
YOU'RE
ALRIGHT
...

WAO-
SAMA
...



WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING?
THAT
I SHOULD
TURN
MY BACK
TOWARDS
THE
ENEMY?

THE
FLAMES
WILL REACH
THIS PLACE
SOON

YAM-
SAMA,
PLEASE
RUN

HANG
ON.

I'LL
TREAT
YOUR
WOUNDS

I
REFUSE!

GO
TO
...

THE
MYSTIC
MOON

AND
...

SEAL
OF THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE OF
FAMELIA...

IT
BURNS

CRIMSON

IS
THIS
FIRE?

WHY
HASN'T
THERE
ANY-
THING
HERE

SOME-
ONE

WHY
HASN'T
THERE
ANY-
ONE
HERE?

DAY SCHOOL HALLWAY



I USUALLY
GET IMAGES
IN MY HEAD
WHEN I READ
FORTUNES,
BUT ...

MAO
PANICKED
WHEN YOU
FAINTED
LIKE
THAT...

SHE
THOUGHT
SOMETHING
AWFUL
TURNED
UP
IN YOUR
FORTUNE
TELLING

HIYORI.

ARE YOU
ALRIGHT?

BUT THAT'S
THE BEST
TRUTH I'VE
EVER GOT-
TEN ANY-
THING LIKE
THAT

I DOUBT
MAO'S
RESULTS
HAD ANY-
THING TO
DO WITH IT

YURARI

WHO IS
THAT
PERSON
IN FRONT
OF THE
HOSPITAL...

The Tower

I WONDER
WHAT IT
WAS...

HE'S
HURT
!!



HEY,

ARE YOU
ALRIGHT
!?

DON'T
TOUCH
ME
!!

WHAT...

BUT
YOU'RE
HURT...



THIS
HAS
NOTHING
TO DO
WITH
YOU

LEAVE
ME
ALONE



HEY, ARIEL

44

STOP
TALKING
AND COME
WITH ME!

YOU'RE
THE ONE
WHO CAME
TO THE
HOSPITAL.



THE SAME
MARK AS
MY TAROT
CARDS?





PENDANT...

THAT...

SFX=HALL

...
...
...



I'VE
FOUND
IT



HE'S
BADLY
HURT

HEY

IT'S
THE
KEY.

HANG
IN
THERE

!!



HEY
MIS. THAT
SWORD'S
REAL
RIGHT?

DON'T
YOU HAVE
TO REPORT
HIM TO THE
COPS?

AND
BESIDES,
THAT GUY
HAD A
KNIFE
WOUND

I DON'T
WANT ANY
TROUBLE

カチ

TO
UNSEAL
:

THE
GUARDIAN
ESCA-
FLOWNE

IT WAS
THE
SAME
AS THE
CARDS

THAT
PATTERN...



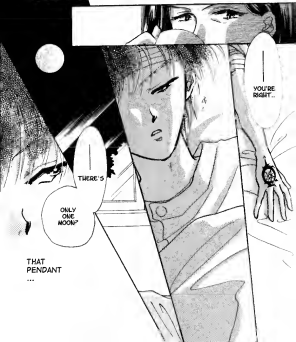
YOU CAN
READ YOUR
DESTINY
WITH
THESE.

WELL,
I'LL
SHOW
YOU
HOW

HEY
GRANDMA,
WHAT ARE
THESE
FOR?

WHO
IS THAT
BOY...?





THAT
PENDANT

...

I MUST
ACQUIRE
IT AND
RETURN
HOME...

THE POWER
I FELT THAT
TIME WAS
DEFINITELY
THAT OF
THE KEY OF
THE SEAL.



MUST AVENGE
THE DEATHS
OF MY FATHER
AND EVERY-
ONE ELSE

...BUT
MY BODY
WON'T
MOVE.

**DAMN
IT!**

AND
THAT
BOY...

10

THE
IMAGE
OF THE
TOWER.

COLLAPSE.
CRIMSON
FLAMES.

IT'S
NO
USE...

THERE'S
TOO
MUCH
ON MY
MIND.
I CAN'T
CON-
CENTRATE

77

WHAT
?

MIKO
...

Knight of Swords

A
STRONG
WIND IS
COMING

THE
KNIGHT
OF
SWORDS



THE
CHAOTIC
BLVD





IF YOU
MOVE
TOO MUCH,
YOU'RE
GOING TO
OPEN UP
YOUR
WOUNDS



OR,
SOME-
THING
ELSE?



ARE
YOU
LOOKING
FOR
THIS?



HEY.

THAT
KID.

WHO
IS HE?

PRETTY
BADGE. TO
WALK INTO AN
ALL GIRLS
SCHOOL LIKE
THAT.

I HAVEN'T
SEEN ANY
IMAGES
SINCE
THAT DAY



HITOMI

TELL
US OUR
FORTUNES



SORRY,
NOT
TODAY

MADE
ANOTHER
TIME



IT'S
THAT
GUY!



WHAT
ARE YOU
SAVING...

THIS
IS

I CAME
HERE TO
GET IT.

GIVE
ME THE
PENDANT.

YOU WERE
WOUNDED!

GET
BACK TO
THE HOS-
PITAL!



WHAT IS THAT?

WHA

WHAT-
WHAT IS THAT?

SOME-
THING IS...

COMING

ZZZZZ

WHA ?



A
DRAGON???

SOMEONE
OPENED
THE PATH...



DRAGONS
BARELY
EVER
LEAVE
THE
VALLEY

...
...



GET
AWAY
FROM
ME!

BUT
YOU'RE
WOUNDED!

YOU'RE
IN MY
WAY!



HOW
DID THE
DRAGON
CROSS
THE
PATH

THE
PENDANT

All...



HEY
YOU
!!

DON'T
BREATHE
IN!

WHAT'S
THAT
SMOKE?

DRAGON
REPELLANT.

WOW
GURRY
UP AND
RUN!



HE'S
AFTER
YOUR
PENDANT!



MY
PENDANT?

DRAGONS
EAT
JEWELS!







THIS
MAN
IS ..

THE
KNIGHT
OF
SWORDS
...

ARE YOU
ALRIGHT,

FAIR
LADY?

AH
...

YES,
BUT !

THIS
KID
IS..



A PRINCE



THAT
MARK ON
YOUR
LIP...!

YOU'RE
THE PRINCE
OF FABELIA



PAWMIT!





EMPIRE

...

CALM
YOUR-
SELF



I'M NOT
FROM THE
EMPIRE



IT CAN'T BE
HELPERD THAT
YOU DIDN'T
KNOW. WITH
A SHIFT IN-
VISION LIKE
THAT.

IDENTIFY-
ING THE
ENEMY IS A
DIFFICULT
TASK...

THAT NIGHT,
THE KINGDOM
OF FABELIA
WAS INVADED
BY THE EMPIRE
OF ZABACH,
AND FELL.

IT TOOK
THEM
ONLY ONE
NIGHT.

THERE IS
NOTHING
LEFT
NOW BUT
DUMBLE



I WOULDN'T
HAVE
EXPECTED
ANY SUR-
VIVORS...
EXCEPT



WHAT
ABOUT THE
ESCA-
FLOWER...



ESCA-
FLOWER?



YOU SAID
...ONLY
RUBBLE
IS LEFT



FOR THE
FAMILIAR
TECHNIQUE
TO CROSS
OVER TO
THE MYSTIC
MOON

THAT WAS
EXPECTED



NOW IT'S
UNDER THE
CONTROL
OF THE
EMPIRE



WE CAME
FROM A
DIFFERENT
WORLD....

... GAEA.

UM,
ESCAFLOWNE?

ALL
EXCUSE
ME.

IT'S
A BIT
COMPLICATED.

GAEA - A WORLD
WHERE TWO
MOONS HANG
IN THE SKY

ESCAFLOWNE
IS THE
MATERIALIZED
POWER OF
THE GODS

A WORLD
WHERE
MAN AND
DRAGON
COEXIST

LONG AGO,
WHEN FAMILIANS
UNITED GAEA,
THEY SEALED
ESCAFLOWNE AND
HID IT'S KEY IN
THIS WORLD

WHY? IT IS
BECAUSE IT'S
POWER IS
BEYOND THAT
OF MAN'S
CONTROL



SINCE
DRAGONS
ARE AT-
TRACTED
TO THOSE
WITH
POWERS

IT'S VERY
LIKELY THAT
THE DRAGON
WAS THEIR
DOING



HOWEVER,
THE EMPIRE
IS NOW
LOOKING FOR
THE KEY

THEY WANT
TO USE
THAT POWER
TO DOMINATE
AREA



YOU MUST
BE THE ONE
WHO HAS
THE KEY

SINCE
THE
DRAGON
WENT
AFTER
YOU...

NO
!



I'M ALLEN
SCHEZAR, A
KNIGHT OF
ASTURIA

I WAS
ORDERED
TO PREVENT
THE KEY FROM
FALLING INTO
THE HANDS OF
THE EMPIRE

YOU ARE
STRAIGHT-
FORWARD
PRINCE OF
FABELLA

YOU'RE
NOT GOOD
AT LYING

YOU, THE
CARRIER OF
THE KEY TO
THE SEAL
...

I'LL
PROTECT
YOU



INTERFERE
WITH THE
ESCAFLONNE.

HOW DARE A
MERCHANT
NATION LIKE
ASTURIA,



DON'T
BE
FOOL-
ISH!

ESCAFLONNE
IS THE
GUARDIAN OF
FANELIA.



BUT I'M
STILL
HERE!
!

ARE YOU
PLANNING TO
OPEN THE
SEAL FOR
REVENGE?



FANELIA
NO LONGER
EXISTS.

MANY
NATIONS NOW
RULE THEM-
SELVES
WITH THEIR
OWN WILL.

THE TIME OF
DOMINATION
THROUGH
FORCE ENDED
LONG AGO.

NO ONE
WANTS THE
AWAKENING
OF ESCA-
FLOWNE...

ESCA-
FLOWNE
MUST
NOT BE
AWAKEN-
ED

EVERYONE
EXCEPT FOR
YOU, AND
THE EMPIRE.



SOME-
THING...
AGAIN

311
...

IT'S
WORSE
THAN
BEFORE

WHAT..

WHAT'S

IT'S
COMING

...
SOME-
THING...

HEY
!?





A
FLOAT
ING FOR-
TRESS!?



IT'S
...

IT'S
THE
EMPIRE...



I
FEEL
SICK

HOW COULD
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT
CROSS
THE PATH...

WHAT
ARE THEY
THINKING!

THAT
THING CAN
DESTROY
A WHOLE
CITY IN
SECONDS!

THIS
VISION

IT'S
FROM
THAT
TIME..

A
CITY

IS
BURN-
ING

THIS





YUKARI

MOM...

NAMORU..

MAKI

NO
ONE'S
HERE...

**THIS
CAN'T
BE!**





YOU
DID NOT
ACQUIRE
THE KEY?

FOLKEN



THERE
IS NO
NEED FOR
THAT

I'LL
RESUME
THE SEARCH
ONCE
WE OPEN
ANOTHER
PATH

THE PATH
SUDDENLY
DISAPPEARED
ALONG WITH
THE FLOATING
FORTRESS IN IT



MY
APOLOGIES,
YOUR
BUSINESS.

WELL,
IT'S YOUR
LOSS
THIS TIME
FOLKEN



AND
THIS...



WE'LL
SOON
FIND THE
KEY

—
ALONG.

WITH
THAT
RASCAL OF
FANELIA



I WANT
IT NO
MATTER
WHAT

I CANNOT
READ THIS
CARD

SHOULD
IT BE A
BLESSING
OR A
CURSE...

IT'S AN
UNCERTAINED
FACTOR



OH, AND
KILL THAT
FAMILIAN
BEAT...



THIS
PLACE
IS
...

GAEA?

WHY
ARE WE
BACK?

WE
MUST PUT
AN END
TO THE
FAMILIAN
FAMILY

—
AS YOU
WISH.

.....
WHY

CAN
WE SEE
THE EARTH
FROM
HERE?



Escallowne

an INANE release

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WHAT
IS THIS
PLACE

WHERE
ARE
WE
...



SEEMS
LIKE
WE'RE AT
AN OUTER
REGION

TWO
MOONS
...
THIS IS
GAEA?



BE-
CAUSE

WHY
ME...



...
WHAT
...
!

A
DIFF-
ERENT
UNI-
VERSE

?



...
WAIT A
MOMENT

THAT WEIRD
THING CAME
OUT OF THE
SKY, AND
THE CITY...

WHAT
HAPPENED
TO THE
CITY

THAT
IMAGE...

IT
CAN'T
BE...

AS IT IS,
THINGS HAVE
CALMED DOWN,
BUT THIS
ISN'T THE
PLACE FOR
A CONVER-
SATION.

ACASU'S
VILLAGE
SHOULD BE
CLOSE TO
HERE



THE
FLOATING
FORTRESS
WAS
SUDDENLY
ENGLUFED
IN THE
LIGHT

WE GOT
THROWN
INTO GAGA
SHORTLY
AFTER



ANYWAY





SORRY
TO BOTHER
YOU THIS
LATE AT
NIGHT

OH, WE
DON'T MIND,
IF IT'S
FOR YOU



I CAN'T
GO HOME
NOW..?



... I ...



WAIT
A
SECOND

HOWEVER, WE
CURRENTLY
DON'T HAVE
ANYONE WHO
CAN OPEN
THE PATH



DON'T
WORRY,

THERE
ARE
WAYS.

IT'LL BE
ALRIGHT

THERE
ARE
WAYS,
YES...

BUT
CUR-
RENTLY
WE CAN-
NOT USE
THEM

...

HYOMI

I USED
THE PATH
THAT
ZABACH
EMPIRE
OPENED.

HOW THE
HELL DID
YOU CROSS
OVER TO
THE MYSTIC
ROOM?

ERM
...
REALLY

かあ？

I ASSURE
YOU,
YOU WILL
RETURN

...
YOU CAN
SURELY
RETURN...
NO,









HOW
CAN I
FORGIVE
THEM!



I'M NOT
ASKING YOU
TO FORGIVE
THEM...

I'M
SAVING
THIS IS
NOT THE
RIGHT
TIME



ALLIED-
SAN IS
RIGHT...

YOU
SHOULD
REALLY
GET
BETTER
FIRST



EVEN
THOSE
WHO SUR-
RENDERED!

THEY
KILLED
THEM
ALL!



I SHOULD
SAY...IT'S
STARTING



...IN A
WAR?



ALLER-
SARU

IS THIS
WORLD...



BUT UNTIL
NOW, GAEA
WAS QUITE
PEACEFUL

THERE
WERE SMALL
SKIRMISHES
HERE AND
THERE



FAMELIA
ALWAYS
INTER-
VENED AND
SOLVED THE
PROBLEM



FAMELIA
ACTED AS
A CORE AND
GAVE BIRTH
TO MANY
SMALLER
NATIONS AND
VILLAGES...

EVEN IF
THERE WERE
BATTLES AND
INVASIONS

THAT FACT
KEPT THE
NATIONS
UNDER ITS
CONTROL...

IN A WAY,
FAMELIA WAS
ABSOLUTE
POWER

FAMELIA
DID...?

YES,
FAMELIA
HAD THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE

JUST BY
HAVING THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE?

EVEN
WHEN SEALED,
ESCAFLOWNE'S
POWER HOLDS
GREAT
STRENGTH

—
HOW-
EVER



WITH
THE DES-
TRUC-
TION OF
FANELIA,
THE
BALANCE
OF POWER
WOULD BE
TIPPED

THAT
NIGHT,
THE
ZADACH
EMPIRE
INVADIED
FANELIA

AND TOOK
THE ESCA-
FLOWNE BY
FORCE

NO ONE
HAD EVEN
THOUGHT
SUCH A
THING
COULD
HAPPEN

IF ALL OF
THEM GET
THE IDEA
THAT ESCA-
FLOWNE IS
SOMETHING
ONE CAN
TAKE BY
FORCE.

THERE
WILL BE
A WAR
THAT WILL
ENGULF
ALL OF
GAEA.



SLAM

**I WON'T
LET THAT
HAPPEN!**

THIS IS WHY
THE KING OF
ASTURIA
FORMED AN
ALLIANCE
WITH FREID
AND BASILUS

WE FEEL
THE SAME
WAY



WHAT
GOOD IS
THAT?!

NOT TO
INVADE
OTHERS,
BUT TO
NEVER SUCCEED
TO ZABACH,
WHICH STOLE
ESCAFLOWNE
WITH UNJUST
MEANS



**WE MUST
DESTROY
THEM WHILE
ESCAFLOWNE
IS STILL
SEALED!**

**WE MUST
DEFEAT THE
EMPIRE!**

NO
ONE HAS
EVEN SEEN
THEIR
EMPEROR

THEY
DO NOT
TRADE...

YOU'RE
RIGHT
THAT ESCA-
FLOWNE IS
CURRENTLY
SEALED



NOBODY KNEW
THEY HAD THE
MILITARY MIGHT
TO CRUSH A
NATION



THEY ARE
NOT SOME-
ONE WE CAN
CHARGE IN
BLINDLY AND
JUST HOPE
FOR VICTORY

HOWEVER,
THE EMPIRE
IS STILL
TOO MUCH
OF A
MYSTERY.

HOW
COULD
SOME-
THING
THAT
IMPOR-
TANT...

THAT
MUST BE
AVOIDED
AT ALL
COST

THEY WILL
SURELY
ATTEMPT
TO FIND
THE KEY...

WAIT

WITOMI
...

BE IN THE
HANDS OF AN
ORDINARY
PERSON
LIKE ME?

THIS
PENDANT
IS A KEY?
THAT MUST
BE SOME
SORT OF
MISTAKE!

A
MOMENTO
OF MY
GRAND-
MOTHER

THIS
IS...



KYAA



WHA...



YOUR
FEELINGS
ARE
IRRELEVANT

WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING!
GIVE IT
BACK!



HOLDING
THIS
GAVE ME
A PEACE
OF MIND...

AND...

THIS IS
SOMETHING
IMPORTANT
TO ME...

AS IF...
I WAS BEING
PROTECTED
BY SOMETHING



THIS IS
THE KEY
TO THE
SEAL

THERE IS
NO OTHER
JEWEL THAT
HOLDS A
STRONGER
POWER IN
THIS WORLD



WITH
THIS...
I CAN
TAKE MY
REVENGE



YOU
HAVING
THIS IS A
WASTE

THIS WAS
FANELIA'S
POSSESSION
TO START
WITH

DON'T BE
RIDICU-
LOUS!



WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING!

DON'T
TALK LIKE
THAT!

WITH-
OUT BEING
TOLD WHAT'S
GOING
ON!

I WAS
FORCED
TO COME
HERE.

AND NOW
YOU'RE SAY-
ING YOU'LL
TAKE AWAY
MY PENDANT
AS WELL?



YOU
SHOULD
GIVE HER
BACK THE
PENGUIN

PRINCE!

は

DON'T BE
VIOLENT
AGAINST
A LADY

WHAT
...

WITOM
IS ITS
MASTER
NOW

EVEN IF
IT IS THE
TRUE KEY TO
THE SEAL, AND
EVEN IF IT
USED TO BE
FANELIA'S

ハア

DON'T
FANELIA BRING
IT TO THE
MYSTIC MOON
FOR SAFE
KEEPING?



DID YOU
DOING
SOME-
THING
FOR ME.

THANKS. I
APPRECIATE
IT

ERM.
I HEARD
YOU HAD
SOMEONE
WOUNDED,
SO...

I
BOUGHT
SOME
MEDICAL
SUPPLIES

SELENA?

ALLEN...





THIS
SYMBOL
ON THE
CARDS

IT'S THE
SAME AS
THE ONE
ON THAT
BOY'S
HAND

BUT...
IF HE KEEPS
ACTING LIKE
THAT, IT'D
BE HARD TO
REASON
WITH HIM

THIS IS
MINE!



I
PROMISE
YOU, YOU'LL
RETURN
SAFELY

EVERYONE
MUST BE
REALLY
WORRIED



I
SWEAR
TO
PROTECT
YOU



THIS...
IS THE
KEY TO
THE
SEAL?

I
GRAND-
MOTHER
...

HOW
CAN THIS
BE...





SEEMS
LIKE WE
CAN'T SEE
THE EARTH
WHEN
THE SUN
RISES



ALLEN-
SAN

WHEN THE
EARTH SHINES
BRIGHTLY,
WE CAN EVEN
SEE IT IN
DAY TIME

EARTH

WETOM





WE MUST
FOLLOW HIM
IT'LL BE
ROUGH, SO
HANG ON!

THAT
DIRECTION...

IS HE
HEADING
FOR
FAKELIA?





THIS
IS...





ARE YOU
ALRIGHT?

THE
CASTLE
ISN'T TOO
FAR FROM
HERE

...
YEAH



KYA!



ALLEN-
SAN



WE HAVE
CALLED FOR
VOLUNTEERS
FROM NEIGH-
BORING
VILLAGES.
BUT...

I...
NEVED REALLY UNDER-
STOOD THIS
UNTIL
NOW.

THIS
TOO, IS
REALITY



THERE
ISN'T ANY-
ONE TO
BURY THE
DEAD..

EVERY
PERSON
IN FAMELIA
WAS MUR-
DERED



DON'T
USE THIS
FOR SUCH
A THING!



I CAN
FINALLY
TAKE
REVENGE!

WHAT
HAVE I
DONE
TO
HIM...



HE LOST
EVERY-
THING.
RIGHT
BEFORE
HIS EYES



I STILL
HAVE A
CHANCE
TO GO
HOME...

BUT...





COME TO
ASTURIA



NOW
THAT
YOU'VE
SEEN IT
AGAIN...
ARE YOU
SATIS-
FIED?



I KNOW
WHAT TO
DO WITH-
OUT YOU
HAVING
TO TELL
ME

UNPWA

THINK
THIS FOR
YOURSELF,
PRINCE

...OF
WHAT YOU
CAN DO



HOW-
EVER,

BUT...
VAN!

I'LL
LET YOU
KEEP THAT
PENDANT...



HITOMI



DO NOT
LOSE
IT



—
SO...

THEY'RE
HEADED TO
ASTURIA



HERE
IS YOUR
REWARD

YES
...

DON'T
HES-
ITATE TO
RECEIVE
IT

ALL
THAT'S
ALL I
WANTED
TO KNOW

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an INANE release

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THEY
PROBABLY
HAVEN'T
REACHED
ASTURIA
YET

WHY
MUST WE
LEND HIM
A HAND?

HASN'T
IT HIS
BLUNDER
IN THE
FIRST
PLACE?

FIND
THEM AND
DESTROY
THEM!

IF IT
IS HIS
MAJESTY'S
WILL, I
WILL BUT
FOLLOW

THIS RAIN
MUST BE
HAMPERING
THEIR
TRAVEL

IT'S
TROUBLE
SOME FOR
US IF THEY
GET TO
ASTURIA

HMPH,
DON'T
TAKE YOUR
LOYALTY
TOO FAR



—
LUMPY

AT
LEAST
WE CAN
KILL
BOREDOM



THANK
YOU

HAVE
SOME-
THINGS TO
DRINK,

IT'LL
WARM
YOU UP





I HAD WANTED
TO APOLOGIZE
TO HIM,

BUT I
ENDED
UP NOT
SAYING
ANY-
THING
AT ALL.





VAN



I'VE GOT
SOMETHING
I WANTED
TO SHOW
YOU



THEY'RE
CARDS
USED FOR
FORTUNE
TELLING

I GOT
THIS FROM
MY GRAND-
MOTHER AS
WELL AS THE
PENDANT



SHE
NEVER
MENTIONED
ANYTHING
ABOUT THE
SYMBOL
THOUGH

NOT EVEN
TO YOUR
MOTHER?

HUP



WHAT
IS
THIS
...

THIS
IS THE
SYMBOL
OF
FANELIA





I DON'T
PLAN ON
BELIEVING
IT ANY-
WAY...

I DOUBT
THAT STORY
HAD ANY
REALITY
IN IT...

I DOUBT
MY MOTHER
KNEW ANY-
THING
ABOUT IT
EITHER

PLEASE
GO HOME



IT'S
NOT
FROM
GAEA?

I'VE
NEVER
SEEN ANY-
THING LIKE
IT...

THIS
ISN'T
FROM
FANELIA



110
77
!

YEAH,
IT'S
PRETTY
ACCURATE
TOO.

SO THIS
IS THE
FORTUNE
TELLER'S
CARD?



—
AND DE-
TRAVEL

A CON-
SPIRACY
BEHIND THE
EVENT...

RAKELIA'S
DEST-
RUCTION

IN THE
"PAST"
THERE IS
THE CARD
OF THE
TOWER...



WHAT
IS
THIS...

IT
SAYS..
YOU'LL
MEET
HIM IN
THE NEAR
FUTURE

I DON'T
KNOW!

WHO?!

THERE
WAS A
TRAITOR
?!



THIS CARD
IS GIVING
ME A WEIRD
FEELING

THE
ONE YOU
DESIRED TO
MEET THE
MOST...

YOU
WILL
SOON
MEET





BROTHER

EHP

VAN

ITS
SO
COLD
.....

THEY
SEEM SO
CLOSE
TO EACH
OTHER...

BUT

THIS IS
VAN'S
BRO-
THER?

WHY DOES
HE FEEL
SO COLD...

BROTHER!

!?

VAN!?



WAKI,
DO YOU
HAVE A
BROTHER?

WITOMP?



WAKI?

YEAH...

BUT...
HOW DID YOU?



WHAT
IS IT
?



HE DIED
ON THAT
DAY...

I NO
LONGER
HAVE A
BROTHER



THE ONE
YOU WILL
MEET... IT'S
PROBABLY
YOUR BROTHER.
BUT
|

THAT'S
IMPOSSIBLE



BUT THAT
WASN'T AN
IMAGE OF A
DEAD MAN...

WHAT
.....



A STRONG
PRESENCE...
AND STING-
ING COLD...

WHY
HEART'S
TIER? A
FAMILIAR
SYMBOL?



WELL,
IT WAS
PRETTY
BAD OUT
THERE...

IT'S SO
QUICK FOR
THAT! LOOT
TO GET
AROUND.



LONG
TIME
NO SEE,
ALLEN



FORMER,
BUDDY, FORMER.



YOU
KNOW
HIM
ALLEN?

THAT
UNIFORM
IS THAT
OF THE
EMPIRE



GADETH

WHAT
IN THE
WORLD
ARE YOU
DOING
HERE?!



DON'T
YOU
WORRY!



I USED
TO BE A
MERCENARY,
BUT I
QUIT.

YOU
"QUIT"?

WHAT DO
YOU MEAN,
FORMER?

I..
COULDN'T
MOVE

THEY JUST
GET THE
NUMBER
BY HIRING
MERCEN-
ARIES FROM
WHO KNOWS
WHERE

IN THE
EMPIRE, THE
TROOPS
ARE JUST
PAWNS.

I DIDN'T
QUITE LIKE
THE WAY
THEY RUN
THINGS

IT WAS
PRETTY
BAD...

WELL..
THE SAME
CAN BE SAID
ABOUT THE
EMPIRE
ITSELF

THEY DID
IT IN
FARLIA

THIS KILLING
WITHOUT
CONSIDERING
FRIEND OR
FOE

THEY
ENJOY
THIS



AGNIS VILLAGE?

WHY
WOULD THEY RAID
SUCH A
SMALL
VILLAGE?

...AND IN
THAT
VILLAGE
OF AGNIS
TOO



GADETH

YEAH. I WAS
PLANNING ON
GOING TO
ASTORIA

YOU ARE
CURRENTLY
UNEMPLOYED,
RIGHT?

UMMM?

THEN,
I WILL
HIRE
YOU.





TAKE
THIS
SYMBOL
OF A
ASTURIAN
KNIFE



PLUS I'LL
PUT IN A
GOOD WORD
FOR YOU
WITH THE
ASTURIAN
MILITARY

I'LL
PAY A
HAND-
SOME
FEE,

I'M NOT A
DO-IT-ALL
EDWARD
BOY,
BUDDY



YOU CAN
ENTER
THERE
WITHOUT
A PROBLEM
WITH THIS



WELL...
WE ARE
GOING
THE SAME
WAY...



BESIDES



SAGETH
IS NOT A
BAD
PERSON

HEY,
TO SOME-
ONE LIKE
THIS!



WE CAN'T
LEAVE HITOMI
BY HERSELF,
CAN WE?

I GIVE
MY
WORD



DON'T
WOGGY.

THEY'LL
BE HERE
WITH
YOU



BUT
.....

GADETH,
PLEASE
LOOK AFTER
THEM

WHAT
SHOULD
I DO...
I HAVE
A BAD
FEELING
ABOUT
THIS

ROGER
THAT

IT
FEELS LIKE
SOMETHING
TERRIBLE IS
GOING TO
HAPPEN!







CAN'T HELP
IT IF IT'S
WITH SOME-
ONE WHO
DESTROYED
HIS COUNTRY

ESPECIAL-
LY WHEN
HE'S THE
PRINCE
HIMSELF.



ALL
SO I WAS
RIGHT



GADGET-
SAIL, YOU
KNOW...



I'M NOT
WORKING
FOR THE
EMPIRE
ANYMORE

WOAH,
EASY
THERE.

MY JOB
NOW IS TO
GET YOU
TWO TO
ASTORIA
SAFE AND
SOUND.

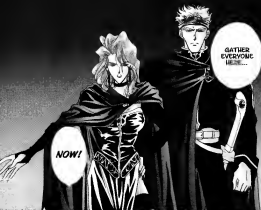




HOPE-
FULLY

THAT KIDDO
WILL COME
ALONG
WITHOUT A
GRUDGE





NOW!

**GATHER
EVERYONE
HERE...**

**GET
OUT!**

**WHAT
THE HELL
ARE YOU
DABBLING
ABOUT?**

**SHE IS
GIVING ME
A BAD
IMAGE...
HORRIBLE**

**GADETH-
SAN**

**AND
DON'T
EVER
COME
OUT**

**GO TO
YOUR
ROOM,**







HORRIBLE
IMAGE

THAT...

IF WE LIDE,
IT'LL BE THE
SAME AS
THE ARGIS
VILLAGE



THAT
VILLAGE
WAS RAIDED
BECAUSE
OF US

I CAN'T
LET

INNOCENT
CIVILIANS
TO GET
KILLED
BECAUSE
OF ME

I
CAN'T
ALLOW
THAT

SO
WHAT?

I PRESUME
THAT IS
A ZABACH
UNIFORM?







HEY,
WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING!

WE
FOUND
HIM!

COME
BACK
HERE!!

A BOY!
HE'S
GETTING
AWAY
ON A
HORSE!

VAN...!



BUT...
THIS
IS SO
RECK-
LESS



I'LL COME
BACK AS
SOON AS
I FREE THE
HORSE

I TOLD
YOU!



IT'S
BETTER
THAN
DOING
NOTHING



THE
TROUBLE-
SOME
FEELING
HAS NOT
FADED



WAA

HE
SAID
HE'LL
COME
BACK
SOON





THIS FEELS...
IT'S THE SAME
AS THE ONE
BEFORE...

HAO...

WHO
ARE
YOU!

VAN

I KNOW
IT WAS
UNLIKE
YOU TO
RUN AWAY
BY YOUR-
SELF

WHAT
IS

WHAT...



AH

BROTHER

.....
?

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DID I
SURPRISE
YOU,
BROTHER?

AREN'T
YOU GLAD
THAT I'M
ALIVE?

YOU'LL
SOON
REUNITE
WITH
YOUR
BROTHER...

HOW

IS IT
REAL...



I'M
GLAD
YOU'RE
STILL
ALIVE

AS FOR
ME, I'M
RESONING



BRO-
THER
...

ALL
...

I'M OVER-
JOYED THAT
I GET TO
SLAY YOU
BY MY OWN
HAND!



HOW LONG DO YOU PLAN ON DODGING LIKE A PESKY FLY

STOP BABBLING!

I'LL END YOU RIGHT HERE!

HEY, STOP SCREAMING AROUND WITH THAT TOY, ALRIGHT.

IT'S REALLY DANGEROUS.





HOW DO
YOU KNOW
ABOUT SIR
FOLKEN?

HEY
HEY

YOU'VE
GOT
TO HELP
VANI!

EASY
THERE.
WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?

HE MUST
NOT MEET
HIS BRO-
THER!

THAT
BASTARD.

WHEN
DID HE?

HE'LL
BE
KILLED!





HOW

THE



THAT
SOUND





VAN...!

AIR-
SHIP

...

THEY'RE
HEADING
TO THE
FLOATING
FOR-
TRESS!



YOU'VE
BECOME
QUITE DIS-
TRUSTFUL

I REMEMBER
YOU BEING
SO NERVE AND
TRUSTING
OF ME

... NO

YOU
CAN'T
BE MY
BRO-
THOR

WILL YOU
BELIEVE
NOW,
BROTHER?

THE
FANELIAN
SYMBOL!



ALL I
HAD TO DO
WAS SMASH
THE FACE OF
A MAN WITH
SIMILAR BUILD
AND TORCH
HAIR

BUT WHAT
ABOUT
...

OH, THE
CORPSE?

IT
HAD TO
APPEAR
AS IF
I HAD
DIED

BRO-
THER
:
!?

A
SIMPLE
TRICK

IT
WAS ALL
AS I'VE
PLANNED



ALL
EXCEPT
FOR YOU



BROTHER

BROTHER

WHY!?



VAN



DON'T YOU
THINK IT'S
BEAUTIFUL?

GAEA?



WHAT
ARE
YOU
WATCH-
ING?

GAEA



WHEN A
WORLD ERUPTS
INTO WAR, IT
INDICATES THE
EMPEROR OF
THE NATION IS
INCOMPETANT

A BEAUTI-
FUL WORLD
MUST NOT
HAVE ANY
CONFLICT

YEAH



I BET YOU
WOULD
MAKE A
GOOD KING,
BROTHER.





OUR FATHER
CHOSE YOU
TO BE THE
HEIR TO THE
THRONE...

WE
UNDERSTOOD
NOTHING

FOLKEN
IS NOT
FIT TO
BE THE
KING



HOW
COULD
YOU...



AGH!

I
NEVER
KNE...

FAMELIA
IS...



HUMPH!
I DON'T
CARE
ABOUT THIS
NATION

FOLKEN!
HOW
DARE YOU
BETRAY
YOUR
NATION

I AM THE
ONLY ONE
FIT TO
BE KING

...AND GAEA,
REQUIRES
ONE AND
ONLY ONE
EMPEROR.

THE
ONLY
THING
I DESIRE
IS GAEA
ITSELF





BROTHER

!!

...

HOW
COULD HE

MY
BROTHER

BETRAYED
FANELIA...?

WHAT
WHAT
THE HELL
WAS THAT

IT'S AN
ENORGIST

—
A
STONE
?

IT WAS
ENCHANTED

I'VE NEVER
HEARD OF
A STONE
FLASHING
LIKE THAT



ARE YOU
GOING TO
SAY YOU DIDN'T
FIGHT OUR HE
WAS YOUR
"BROTHER"?

SO...

DON'T
TELL
ME YOU'RE
SERIOUS

WE TRIED
TO KILL YOU,
FOR REAL!

I KNOW
MY BROTHER
COULD...

BUT!

ALSO

THAT
MUST
BE
SOME
SORT
OF MIS-
TAKE!

HITOMI

THEY
KIDNAPPED
HITOMI.

DID
YOU JUST
WATCH
THEM TAKE
HER?

WHAT
WERE YOU
DOING?

I CAN'T
ALLOW
INNOCENT
LIVES TO
BE SHED
BECAUSE
OF ME

I CAN'T
STAND
THIS ANY-
MORE

THEN
PROMISE
ME

SHE
CAME
OUT OF
HIDING TO
ASK FOR
HELP!

IT'S ALL
BECAUSE
OF YOU,
BRAT!



HITOMI HAS
THE KEY TO
THE BACK-
FLOWNS

WE'VE
GOT TO
HURRY

THAT...
YOU
WILL
COME
BACK

HITOMI

WE
DON'T
HAVE ANY
TIME!

IF THEY
EVER FIND
OUT...

WHERE
IS THIS
PLACE

?

FOLKEN!

I HEARD
YOU LET
THE PRINCE
ESCAPE!

STOP
MAKING
FOOLISH
EXCUSES!

WHAT
WERE YOU
DOING!

WHAT'S
THIS
SOUND

THERE
WAS A
BIT OF
INTER-
FERENCE

WHO
ARE
THEY

?





WASN'T IT
BECAUSE YOU
SYMPATHIZED
WITH THE
PRINCE?

SHUT
UP!

IT WAS ALL
BECAUSE YOU
COULDN'T
RUN OFF
THAT GUY.



HE IS
YOUR
BROTHER,
AFTER
ALL!

THAT
MAN IS
VAN'S
BROTHER

DO
NOT BE
WORRIED



FOLKEN
BETRAYED
HIS OWN
COUNTRY

HE HATES
FANELIA
MORE THAN
ANYONE
ELSE...

YOUR
MAJESTY
...

ISN'T
THAT
SOP

QUINCY...P

...
YES,
YOUR
MAJESTY

IT'S THE
SAME AS
THAT
TIME...

HE
FEELS
SO VERY
COLD...

OH...
TELL ME...
WHAT
OF THAT
STRANGE
GIRL YOU
TALKED
ABOUT

EH

?

YOUR
MAY-
JESTY.

SHE
SEEMS TO
KNOW OF
THE WHERE-
ABOUTS OF
SIR FOLKEN

YOU
ARE

!!



HEY,
AREN'T YOU AN
ASTURIAN
SOLDIER?

HEL
GADETH
... ?

HEY,
ARE YOU
ALRIGHT?

HE'S
ALRIGHT.

NOW WHAT
HAPPENED?

WHERE'S
THE
YOUNG
PRINCE?

THE
ZARACH
TROOPS
ATTACKED
ASTURIA...

...
LASH
...

YOU
MUST NOT
GO TO
ASTURIA...

RUN
...

BROTHER
?

THEY
TOOK
THE KING
HOS-
TAGE...

THEY
DEMAND
THE PRINCE
AND THE
KEY TO
ESCAPLOMME
AS AN
EXCHANGE

HEY

ARE YOU
ALRIGHT?



VAN!?

DO YOU THINK
YOU CAN SAVE
EVERYONE?

DON'T BE
RIDICULOUS!

WHERE
DO YOU
THINK
YOU'RE
GOING

TO
ASTURIA!

NO!

I WANT TO
CONVINCE
MY BRO-
THER!



THIS
IS MY
WORLD...

SOMETHING
WAS WRONG
WITH MY
BROTHER...

WE
TRIED
TO KILL
YOU

I WON'T
LET ANY-
ONE GET
IN MY WAY

SOMETHING
HAPPENED
TO HIM

WE FIGHTED
FOR PEACE
MORE THAN
ANYONE

WHAT CAN
YOU DO TO
SOMEONE
LIKE HIM?

I
BELIEVE
IN HIM!

HE'LL
UNDER-
STAND...
HE MUST

MY JOB
IS TO
PROTECT
YOU BOTH

—
WELL

USE
YOUR
HEAD

IF YOU STORM
INTO ASTORIA,
BEST THING
YOU'LL GET
IS GETTING
CAPTURED.

I DON'T KNOW
WHAT ALLEN'S
GONNA SAY
IF ONE OF
YOU GOES
MISSING.

IF YOU
WANT TO
HELP THAT
GIRL, DO
WHATEVER
YOU WANT...

GADETH
...?
?

BUT
DON'T LOSE
YOUR COOL
OVER IT



!
ALL AS I
THOUGHT

THAT'S
ONE OF THE
EMPIRE'S
SHIPS

GOOD
BOY,

NICE
JOB
FINDING
IT



I HATE
DOING
THIS
BORING
GUARD-
DUTY.

DAHM.

YEAH...
I BET THEY
ALREADY LEFT
THE AREA
ANYWAYS.

SO YOU
HATE IT
THAT MUCH.
SLEEP
WANT ME
TO FILL
IN FOR
YOU?

HUH?
OUR
SHIFT'S
NOT OVER
YET.

HEY,
DON'T
TURN DOWN
OTHER
PEOPLE'S
KINDNESS.

TAKE
A GOOD
LONG
REST.







AUGH I?

HEY, IT'S JUST A KID.

GAD-ETH!

SUBARU!!

WE'RE NOT THE IMPERIAL TROOPS!

ACK!!

STOP IT!

OW, OWACH!!

THEM WHAT ARE YOU?

AND WHAT THE HECK ARE YOU DOING HERE?

THEY
ARE BUILT
ON PARAGON
OF GAEAN
TECH-
NOLOGY,

AND
UNTIL NOW,
NONE WERE
ABLE TO
OBSERVE IT
FIRST HAND.

WHAT'S A
KID LIKE YOU
DOING ON
A WAR
SHIP?

HEY
THAT'S
OUR
LINE.

DON'T
YOU
KNOW
ANY-
THING?

ZAIBACH
SHIPS ARE
LIKE NO
OTHER.

HEY, DON'T
UNDER-
ESTIMATE
ME.

SINCE
THERE
HAS BEEN
A LOT OF
ZAIBACH
FLEET
ACTION
LATELY

I
THOUGHT
IT WOULD
BE A GOOD
CHANCE.

WELL...

I DOUBT
YOU GUYS
WILL UNDER-
STAND,
BUT...

I'D SAY
IT'S WORTH
RISKING
YOUR LIFE
OVER

A "GOOD
CHANCE!"?
THIS ISN'T A
PLAYGROUND!
IT'S DAN-
GEROUS!



DON'T ORDER ME AROUND LIKE THIS IS YOUR PALACE.

I FOUND THIS SHIP FIRST

ALRIGHT THEN, YOU'VE LOOKED AROUND LONG ENOUGH. GO HOME WHILE YOU'RE STILL SO ONE PRICE.

NO WAY

WE DON'T HAVE ANY TIME.

DAMN BRAT, YOU WANT ME TO THROW YOU OVER-BOARD?

OUCH! LEAVE ME GO.



FLOAT-ING FORT-RESS!?

OF ZAI-BACH!?



ONE OF OUR FRIENDS IS TRAPPED IN THE FLOATING FORTRESS.



WE NEED THIS SHIP

SOME-ONE'S LIFE DEPENDS ON IT...



**THAT'S
GREAT
!!!**

**YOU ARE
GOING
TO THE
FLOATING
FORT-
RESS!?**

ERN...

YEAH

**BESIDES, IT'S
NOT EVERYDAY
ONE CAN BOARD
AN IMPERIAL
FORTRESS.**

**THIS IS
A GOOD
OPPOR-
TUNITY.**

**SURE
THING**

**I DIDN'T
JUST LOOK
AROUND FOR
NOTHING**



CAPTURE
THE ENGINE
TECHNICIAN
MAYBE?



BUILT, MY
SLEEPING
GAS WORKS
MUCH
BETTER.



HEH. WHAT
WERE YOU
GUYS
PLANNING
TO DO
ANYWAY?



OH WELL,
YOU GUYS
SAID YOU
WERE IN
A HURRY?



ALTHOUGH
THEY LET ME
OUT OF
THE CELL...

MOVE
THAT GIRL
TO A
DIFFERENT
ROOM

UGH, THIS
DOOR IS
LOCKED.

MAKE SURE
YOU BRING
HER TO
THE CAPITAL

WHAT
SHOULD
I DO?

THAT IS
THE KEY
TO THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE'S
SEAL!

あ...
あ...

IF
THEY DO
TAKE ME...



WHO ... WHO
ARE YOU !!

WHY
DO YOU
KNOW
ME?

DUN-
KIRK-
SAMA

I WAS
WAITING
FOR THIS
MOMENT...
FOR A
LONG
TIME

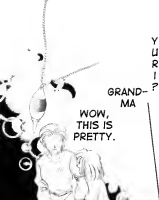
THAT
PENDANT
WILL
ALLOW
US TO BE
WITH ONE
ANOTHER

LIKE
THAT
TIME

...

THAT
VOICE!





WOW,
THIS IS
PRETTY.

IT'S
WARM
TOO...

GRAND-
MA

Y U R I ?

ISN'T
THAT
SO....

Y U R I ?

HITOMI..
YOU CAN
FEEL IT

THIS
STONE
HAS A
STRONG
POWER





SOMEDAY,
IT WILL
PROTECT
YOU.

THIS
VOICE

WHO IS
CALLING
FOR ME...

EH....

WHO?

YOU'VE
ALWAYS
BEEN
CALLING
FOR ME...



YURI

VISITOR
FROM
THE
MYSTIC
MOON...
WHAT
IS
YOUR
NAME?

GRANDMA?



MY
GRANDMA
WENT TO
GAEA?

WHAT IS
THAT!?

TAKE
THIS
TO THE
MYSTIC
MOON

WITHOUT
IT, THE
SEAL
WILL
NEVER
BE
BROKEN

IT IS
SOMETHING
THAT MUST
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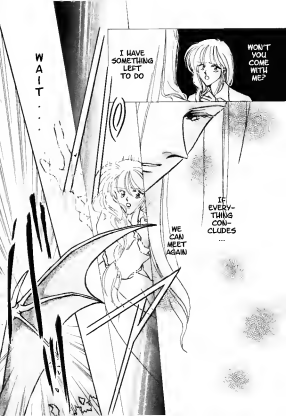
I HAVE
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LEFT
TO DO

WOULDN'T
YOU
COME
WITH
ME?



IF
EVERY-
THING
CON-
CLUDES

WE
CAN
MEET
AGAIN







IT'S
THE SAME
AS THAT
TIME



WHY
ARE THERE
DRAGONS
HERE?

DRAGONS

THEY
MUST
BE

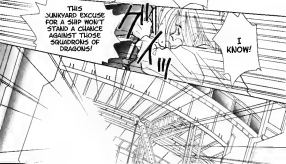
AT-
TRACTED
TO THE
PENDANT...DID
SOMETHING
HAPPEN
TO HITOMI
?

HURRY

...
TO THE
FORTRESS!

THIS
SHIPYARD EXCUSE
FOR A SHIP WON'T
STAND A CHANCE
AGAINST THOSE
SQUADRONS OF
DRAGONS!

I
KNOW!





AUGH!

THE
DRAGONS
ARE COMING
THIS WAY,
SIR!

EVA-
SIVE
MANUE-
VERS!!

DRAGONS?

IT'S
NO
USE!

THEY'RE
AIMING RIGHT
FOR US!



**WE'RE
GONNA
CRASH
!!!**



**I
MUST
GO...**



HE...

IS...
WAIT-
ING

THEY'RE
STILL
COMING
AT US

WHERE
ARE THE
DRAGONS
IF

STAT-
US!

VAN,
THIS
WAY

HITO-
MI?

SEEMS
LIKE
SUE'S
BEEN
HELD
IN A
ROOM...
BUT
SUE'S
FINE

WHERE'S
HITOMI
?

I DON'T
CARE
IF IT
WOULDN'T
DO ANY
DAMAGE,

OPEN
FIRE!

HITO-
MI!

HEY! HITOMI!

SHE
CAN'T
HEAR
ME?

HITO-
MI!

WHEN THE
DRAGONS
MAKE AN
OPENING,
USE THE
SMOKE
AS A
DIVER-
SION
AND
EVADE!



THAT
GIRL...

THAT
PENDANT!

↑
!!!



DUN...

NOW
I SEE
WHY THE
DRAGONS
GATHERED
HERE

THAT
PENDANT
IS THE KEY
TO THE
LIBERATION
OF ESCA-
FLOWNE...

NO WONDER
LORD DUMKOR
WAS SO
CONCERNED
ABOUT YOU

KIRK

HERE,
GIVE ME
THAT
PENDANT



I
MUST
GET
TO
HIM

I
MUST
MEET
HIM

DON'T
GET IN
MY WAY

HITOMI
!!!



MY
WISH WILL
FINALLY
COME
TRUE...

YOU KILLED
MY FATHER
AND EVERY-
ONE ELSE
FOR SOME-
THING LIKE
THAT!?

VAAL...

FINALLY
GAEA
WILL BE
MINE.

DON'T
TELL ME
YOU'RE
SERIOUS!

ARE
YOU OUT
OF YOUR
MIND!?

YOU'RE
NOT THE
BROTHER
I REMEM-
BER!

I HAVE
NOTHING
TO SAY
TO YOU!

STOP
ALREADY
!!!

DON'T

...

I

...
I
FOUND
THE
KEY..

HITO-
MI?

YOU MUST
NOT OPEN
THE SEAL

IT'LL BE
THE SAME
AS THAT
TIME...

ESCA-
FLOWNE
IS..

NOW
I CAN
LIBERATE
THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE



BROTHER!

IF YOU'RE NOT GOING TO GIVE ME THE KEY, I'LL SIMPLY TAKE IT!

WHATEVER HAPPENS TO YOU ISN'T ANY OF MY CONCERN.

IF YOU DON'T WANNA GET CAUGHT IN IT,

COME DOWN HERE AND LET'S GO!

THIS FORTRESS IS GOING TO FALL!



KYAA

VAN,

HUR-
RY!

WHAT!?



THERE
WAS AN
EXPLOSION
IN THE
ENGINE
ROOM!

FOLKEN-
SAMA!

OUR
PROPUL-
SION IS
DROPPING

WE'RE
GONNA
CRASH!



KEY
TO
THE
ESCA-
FLOWNE

SOON...
IT SHALL
BE MINE.

Author's Note**

2 Although this is supposed to be where the anime *Bealicious* started as, it's quite different from the anime. There might be fans of the anime *Bealicious* that might not like the original manga, but please discuss them simply as the lack of skill on my part. I did coordinate with the staff of animated *Bealicious* and got an "OK", but I regret that I couldn't bring couple of the popular characters onto the stage. I'm terribly sorry. I'd appreciate it if you readers would consider this as an "another story".

3 The anime *Bealicious* was a really high quality work which someone underestimated and undervalued like me can not even hope to get close, but I'd try my best. (It's really hell every day with the work!)
 * You know, it's not really me that's saving hell, but my friends that assist me: Gashuun, Mito-sano, Re-cha, Mito-sano, Wakabe-sano, and many others (Some even came to help for a day) - I'm really grateful to you all. I couldn't have done it without you, and I've never realized that doing a series was this hard. There are deadlines, deadlines every month!
 * Of course there are!

4 From the sudden offer to do the series, I've come this far in half a year, and yet I'm still in confusion. I'd say it's around the time I got organized, but I hope I could've improved a bit more by now.
 Anyway, hope to see you guys on volume 2. I'll be waiting for few letters. Thank you for reading, and sorry for keeping you guys up with this sort of thing.

1 Ah, pleased to meet you readers. In Yumetsu Yashiro. (Written as an Arrow and a String for Kaito!)
 I must thank you all for reading this comic book *Bealicious* in my first manga series, and also my first comic book release. Speaking of which, it's also the first time I release something like the idea draft/ground work with it. I didn't really know what to do, and I caused lot of troubles to my family, friends, and the editor members. (And I still am!)

Yumetsu Yashiro
 Kaito Kaito